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## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL (37 CFR § 1.53(b))

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| Sir: This is a request for filing a patent application under 37 CFR § 1.53(b) in the name of inventors:  Chi Au, Tzu-Yih Chu, Hao Yin, Edward W. Lee and Abraham C. Ma  For: OPTICAL ISON ATTERNATION.   |       |  |  |  |
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| For: OPTICAL ISOLATOR, ATTENUATOR AND POLARIZER SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR INTEGRATED OPTICS  |       |  |  |  |
| Application Elements:  |       |  |  |  |
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| 21 Pages of Specification, Claims and Abstract   |       |  |  |  |
| 11 Sheets of Drawings  |       |  |  |  |
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| Accompanying Application Parts:  |       |  |  |  |
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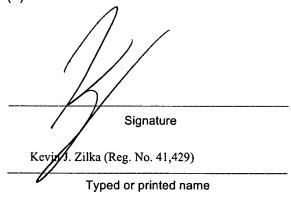
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## REQUEST AND CERTIFICATION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

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| Title Optical Isolator, Attenuator and Polarizer System and Method for Integrated Optics |  |  |  |
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I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).





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